

Returning the Bear Protection Act to the Senate: The House agreed to H. Res. 645, returning to the Senate the bill S. 1109, Bear Protection Act.

Pages H10754–55

Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate appears on pages H10535–36.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea and nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H10700, H10701, and H10701–02. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 11:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONFERENCE REPORT—FOREIGN OPERATIONS APPROPRIATIONS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read.

Testimony was heard from Representatives Calahan and Pelosi.

CONFERENCE REPORT—ESTUARIES AND CLEAN WATERS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany S. 835, to encourage the restoration of estuary habitat through more efficient project financing and enhanced coordination of Federal and non-Federal restoration programs, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read.

MAKING FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule providing for consideration of each joint resolution H.J. Res. 115, H.J. Res. 116, H.J. Res. 117, H.J. Res. 118, H.J. Res. 119, and H.J. Res. 120, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, under separate closed rules. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of each joint resolution. The rule provides one hour of debate in the House on each joint resolution equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule provides one motion to recommit each joint resolution.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to resume hearings on issues related to the attack on the U.S.S. *Cole*; to be followed by a closed hearing (SH–219), 9 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs, with the Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, to hold joint hearings to examine the Gore and Chernomyrdin diplomacy; to be followed by a closed hearing, 10:30 a.m., SD–419.

House

Committee on Armed Services, hearing on the attack on the U.S.S. *Cole*, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, hearing on “Waste, Fraud and Program Implementation at the U.S. Department of Education,” 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

11 a.m., Wednesday, October 25

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: After the recognition of two Senators for speeches and the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 12:30 p.m.), Senate will recess until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences; following which, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business, including conference reports, when available.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Wednesday, October 25

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of H.J. Res. 115, Making Further Continuing Appropriations (closed rule, one hour of debate);

Conference Report on H.R. 4811, Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations (rule waving points of order); and

Conference Report on S. 835, Estuary Habitat and Chesapeake Bay Restoration (rule waiving points of order)

Extensions of Remarks, as inserted in this issue

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